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Dear Mr. Hymans,

Answering well-intended letters like yours has become an enormous drain on my time so I hope you will be content with this one response.

Most of your questions deal with the unreal, with the imagined of those either sick in mind or bound and determined to commercialize the genuine concerns of so many troubled people. There thus is no way of answering them.

The one way I can respond is through my books. It is for this, to inform others, that writers write their books and doo all that is required of responsible writers so they can write. Therefore, I enclose a list of them.

That you appear to believe that I wrote Heritage of Stone while saying you have and have read Whitewash is amusing to me in ways you can't understand!

You refer to a single article by Richard Razmikov and for all the world as though it were fit for decent people to consider. If you refer to that shameful rot that appeared in Pacific Sun, you infect yourself to credit it.

I don't have time to explain to you why and how this is. Most people are happier believing that the toilet is really the kitchen and about that there is nothing I can do.

Believe mmm or not, that was among the sicker of the really sick stuff that is proliferating and abusing people like you.

Anm example is your question, "any possibility of the Archives being opened?" They have never been closed. There is no executive order suppressing the files, either. I have spent hundred of hours there, have so many thousands of pages from the Commission's files there are several thousand I have never read.

But these who are at best nuts would have you believe that there was an order directing suppression. etc. It just is not true and never was.

I am sure you have 1000 more questions, as you say. Please do not ask them because to the degree I can answer those that are in contact with reality, I will do it in books and I can't take the time from preparing these books to make individual response.

Sincerely,

Harold Weisberg